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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

As a long time customer of a company that competes with AT&T (Sonic) I ask you to continue to allow independent companies to use the last mile copper and fiber. The installed infrastructure was put in place under a monopoly system and by granting easements to a single company it was possible to build the system with a predictable return on investment. That monopoly was ended decades ago and AT&T and others that installed the original lines should be required to allow access at their current costs in order to ensure that the monopoly does not continue.

Thank you,

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